

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT

JIABAO, INC. AND YI ZHANG

APPELLANTS

vs.

No. 23-1174

LACY GUYTON

APPELLEE

**APPELLANTS' MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE**  
**APPENDIX, BRIEF AND ADDENDUM**

Comes now the undersigned counsel, Josh Q. Hurst, and for Appellants' Motion for Extension of Time to File Appendix, Brief and Addendum, pursuant to the Eighth Circuit Court Rules, and states:

1. The Appellants' appendix, brief and addendum are presently due in this Court on Wednesday, April 12, 2023.

2. That Mr. Hurst's trial schedule became more congested than expected the past couple of weeks.

3. That on Tuesday, April 11, 2023, there was a power outage for Mr. Hurst's office and the surrounding blocks including the Garland County Courthouses causing the loss of some stored data. Some of the data was research related to this appeal.

4. That Mr. Hurst is respectfully requesting one more extension of time for seven (7) days from April 12, 2023, to complete the appendix, brief and

addendum.

5. The need for additional time is for cause and not for purposes of delay, and this extension motion will not unfairly prejudice any party.

WHEREFORE, Appellants ask that this Court grant the requested Motion for Extension of Time to File Appendix, Brief and Addendum, of seven (7) days from the present due date, as well as all other relief to which the Appellants may be entitled.

Respectfully Submitted,

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